

Advanced Java Programming: (17625)

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Introduction to Abstract Windowing Toolkit (AWT) & Swings

24 Marks

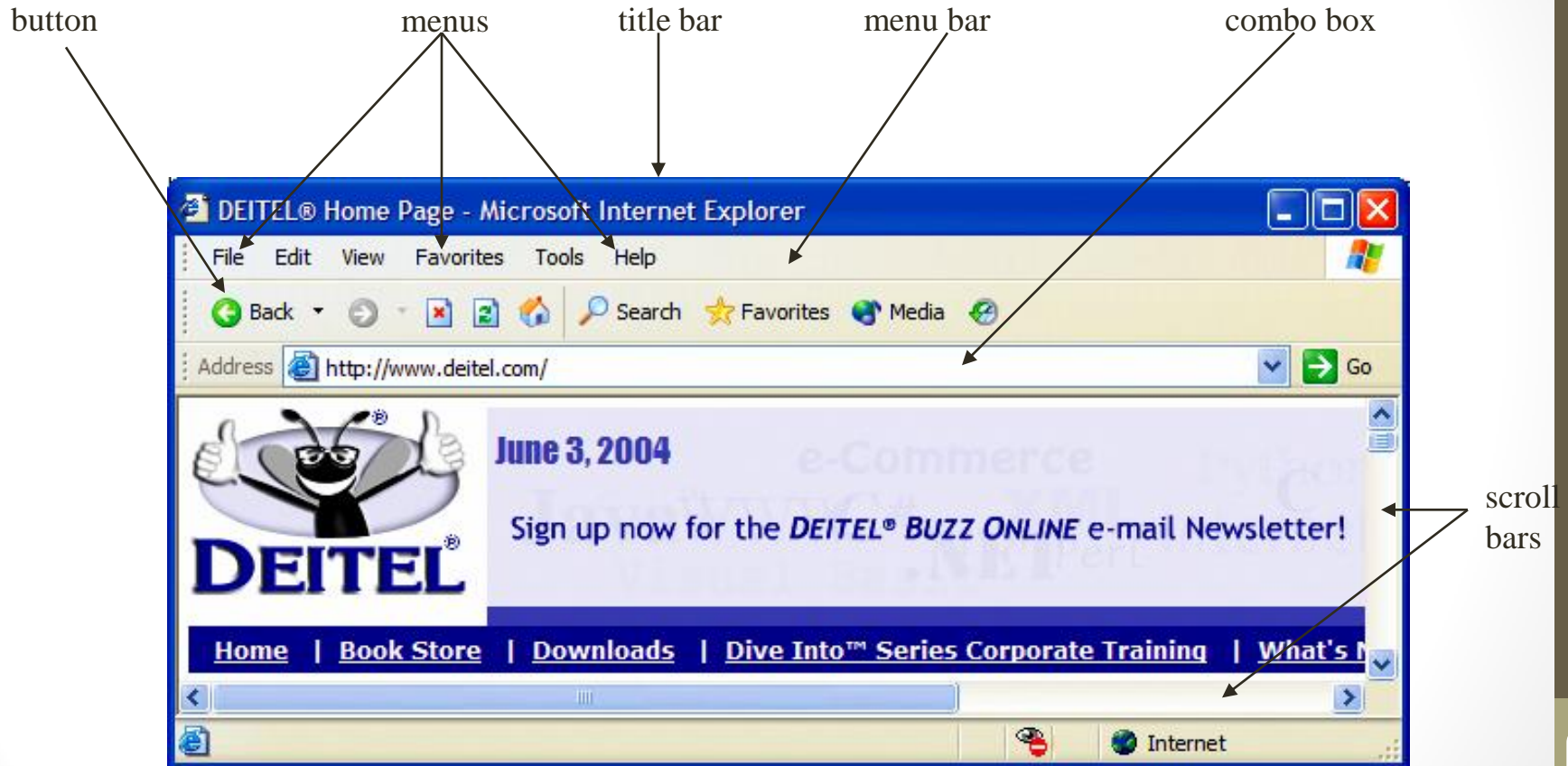
Specific Objectives

- To design and develop Graphical User Interface (GUI) programs using AWT and Swing component.
- To arrange the GUI components using different layout.

GUI (Graphical User Interface)

- GUI offers user interaction via some graphical components.
- Window, frame, Panel, Button, Textfield, TextArea, Listbox, Combobox, Label, Checkbox etc.
- Using these components we can create an interactive user interface for an application.
- GUI provides result to end user in response to raised event.
- GUI is entirely based event.

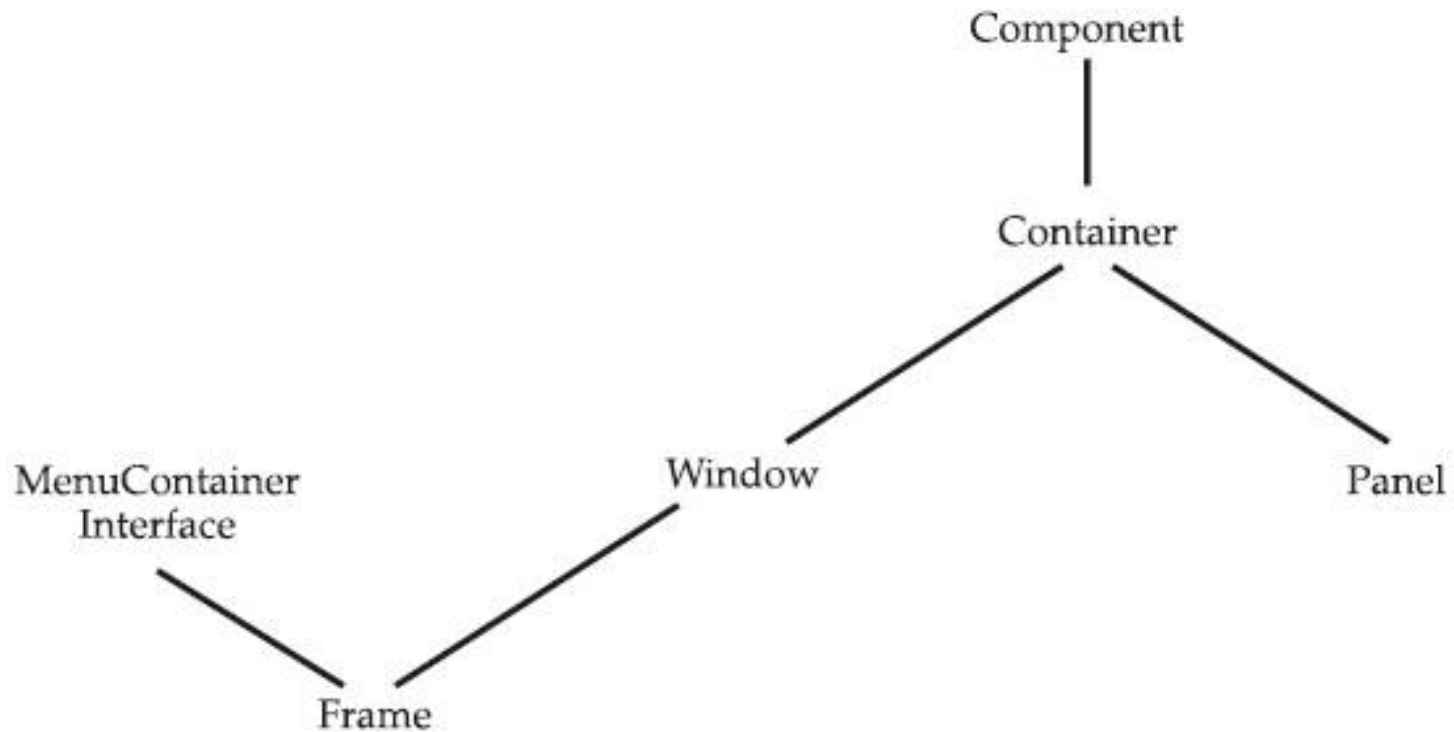
GUI (Graphical User Interface)



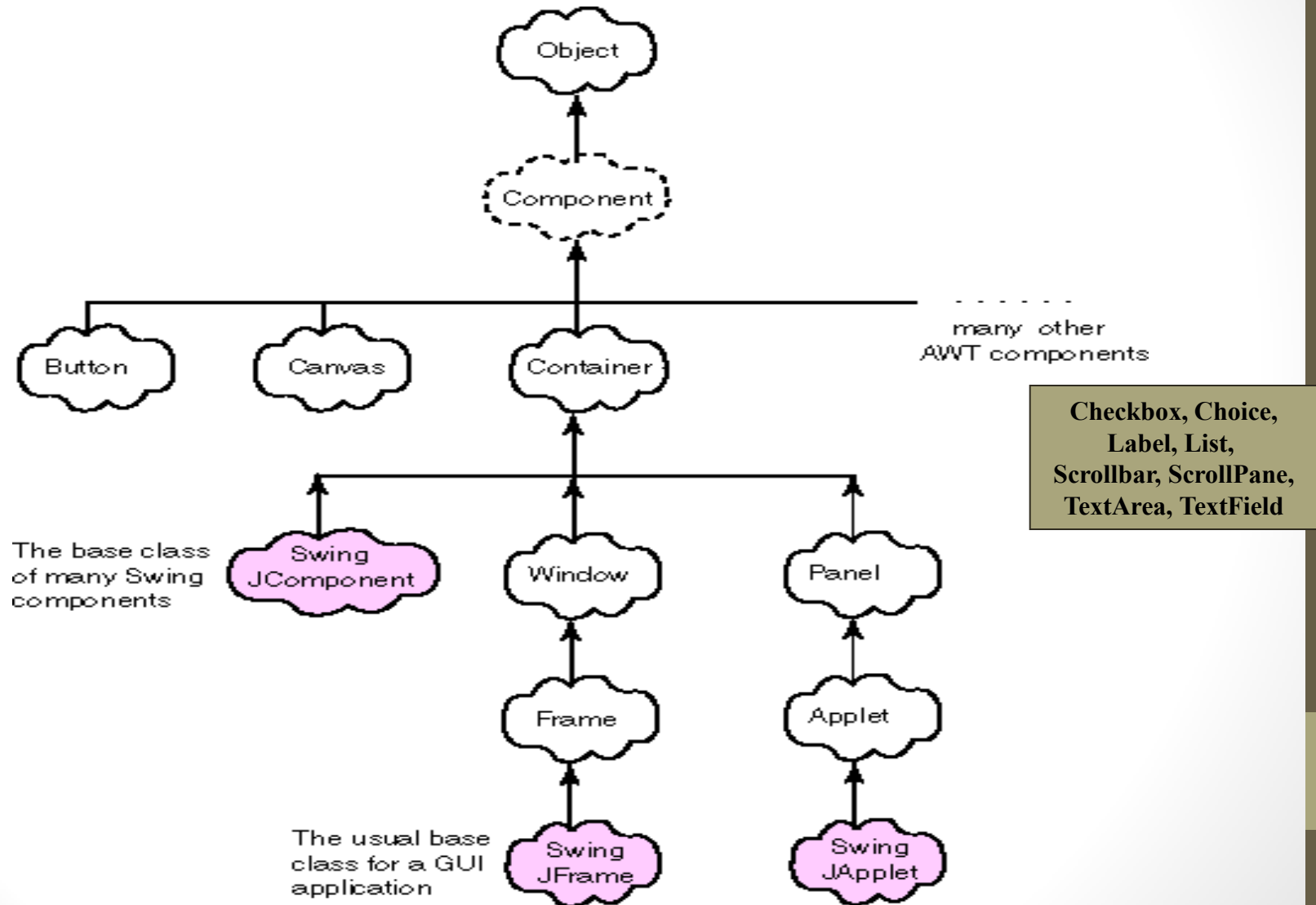
AWT (Abstract Window Toolkit)

- AWT contains numerous classes and methods that allow you to create and manage window.
- `import java.awt.*;`
- **Java AWT** is an API to develop GUI or window-based application in java.
- *Java AWT components are platform-dependent i.e. components are displayed according to the view of operating system.*
- AWT is heavyweight i.e. its components uses the resources of system.

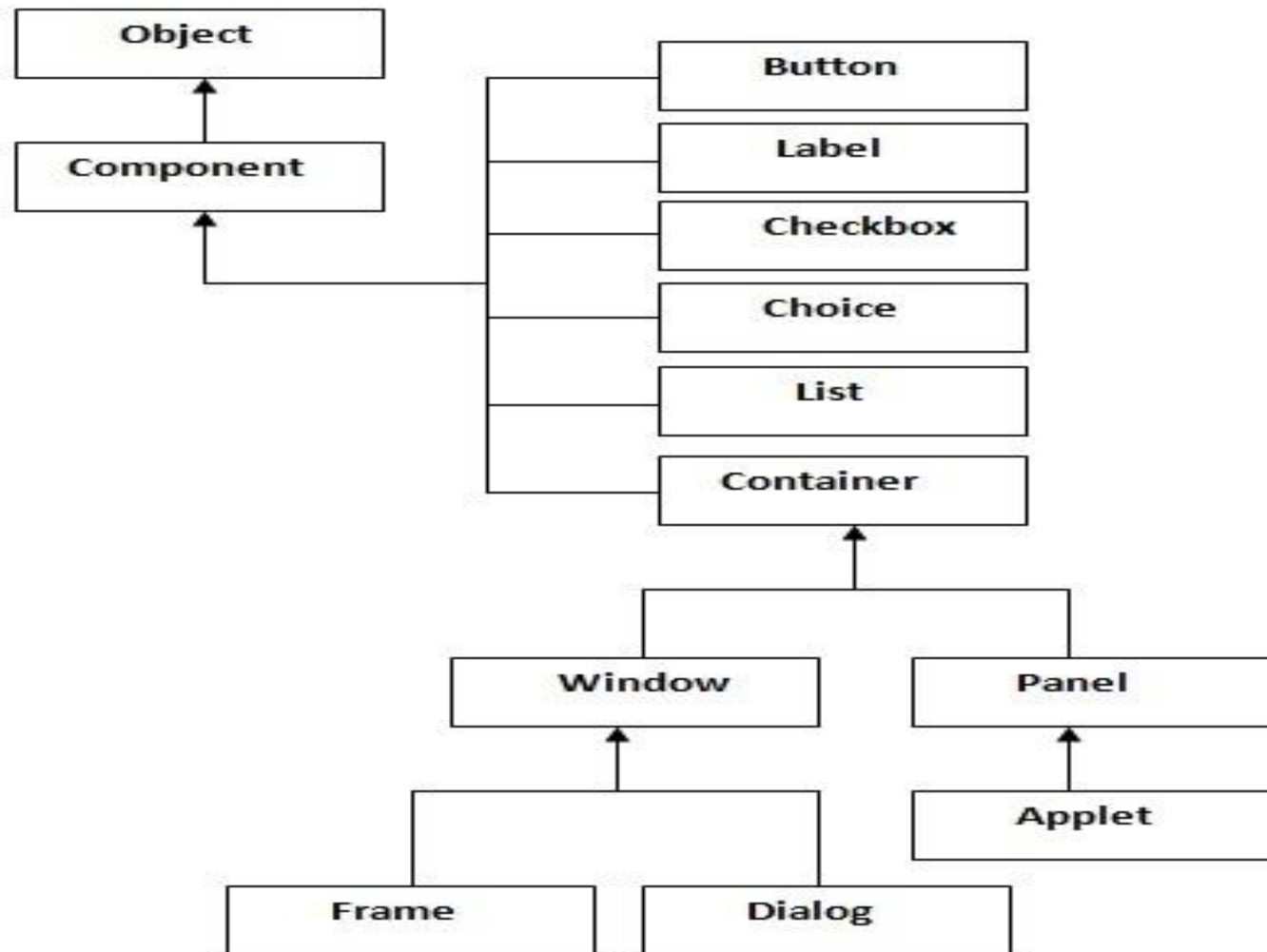
AWT Class Hierarchy



AWT Class Hierarchy : Detailed



AWT Class Hierarchy : Detailed



Component

- Component is an object having a graphical representation that can be displayed on the screen and that can interact with the user.
- At the top of the AWT hierarchy is the **Component** class.
- It is abstract class that encapsulates all of the attributes of a visual component.
- It defines over a hundred public methods that are responsible for managing events, such as mouse and keyboard input, positioning and sizing the window, and repainting.

Component

- **Which** object is responsible for remembering the current foreground and background colors and the currently selected text font? (Answer: Component)
- It extends: Object Class
- Implements: ImageObserver, MenuContainer, Serializable

Container

- **Container** class is a subclass of **Component**.
- Provided additional methods that allow other **Component** to place on it.
- **Which (Container)** is responsible for laying out (that is, positioning) any components that it contains.
- It does this through the use of various layout managers.

Container

- Container is a component in AWT that can contain another components like buttons, text fields, labels etc.
- The classes that extends Container class are known as container such as Frame, Dialog and Panel.

Containers and Components

- The job of a Container is to hold and display Components
- Some common subclasses of Component are Button, Checkbox, Label, Scrollbar, TextField, and TextArea
- A Container is also a Component
- Some Container subclasses are Panel (and Applet, JApplet), Window (Frame, JFrame)

Panel

- **Panel** is a concrete subclass of **Container**.
- It doesn't add any new methods which simply implements **Container**.
- **Panel** is the immediate superclass of **Applet**. When screen output is directed to an applet, it is drawn on the surface of a **Panel** object.

Panel

- **Panel** is one type of container that does not contain a title bar, menu bar, or border.
- When you run an applet using an applet viewer, the applet viewer provides the title and border.
- Uses `add()` to add component defined by container.
- Uses `setSize()`, `setLocation()`, `setBounds()` defined by `Component`.

An Applet is Panel is a Container

java.lang.Object

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+----java.awt.Component

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+----java.awt.Container

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+----java.awt.Panel

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+----java.applet.Applet

...so you can display things in an Applet

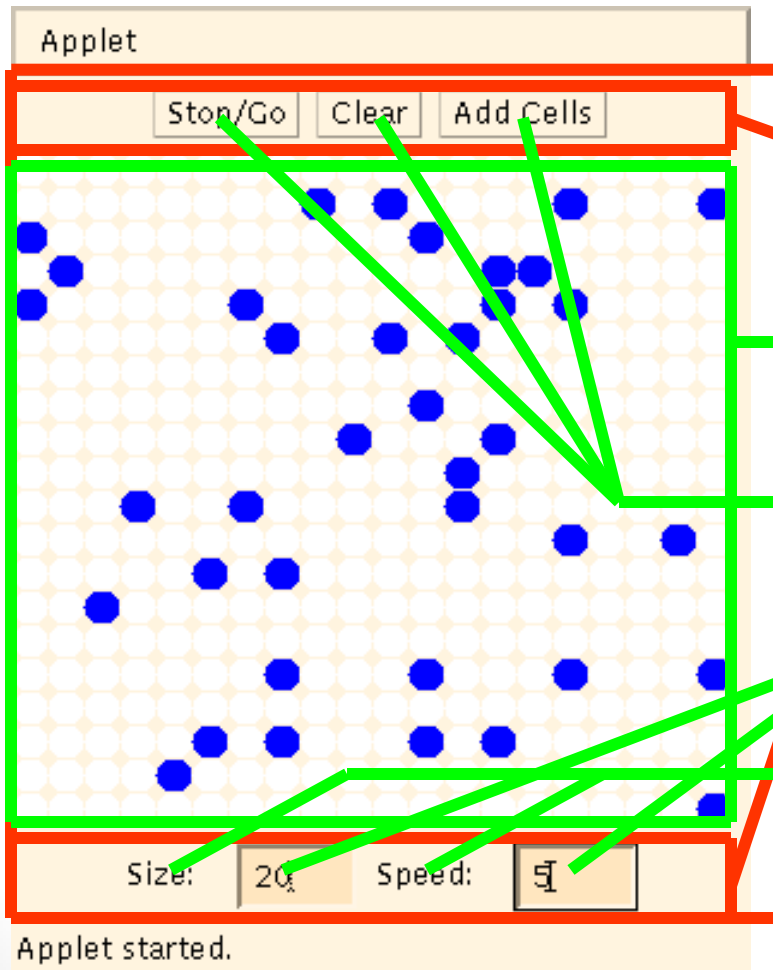
Applets

- Applet is a public class which is predefined by `java.applet.Applet`.
- There is no `main()` method in Applet like Application program. The `main()` method is defined by browser or Appletviewer for Applet.
- Life cycle methods: `init`, `start`, `paint`, `stop`, `destroy`
- Applet is one type of container and subclass of `Panel`. Applet is superclass of `JApplet`

To create an applet

- `import java.applet.*;`
- `Import java.awt.*;`
- Applet code in comment.
- Extends Applet class
- Life cycle method
- Class must be public

Example: A "Life" applet



Container (**Applet**)

Containers (**Panels**)

Component (**Canvas**)

Components (**Buttons**)

Components (**TextFields**)

Components (**Labels**)

Window

- Creates top-level window means directly on the desktop.
- Don't create Window objects directly.
- The window is the container that have no borders and menu bars.
- Uses Frame, Dialog class which is subclass of Window class for creating window.

Frame

- It is subclass of **Window** and has a title bar, menu bar, borders, and resizing corners.
- Frame object can be created from program or Applet.
- Through Applet: Warning message will display “Java Applet Window”.
- Through Program or Application: Normal window is created.

Working with Frame Window

- Extends Frame class
- Constructor are:
 - `Frame()`
 - `Frame(String title)`
- Setting and Getting window size:
 - `void setSize(int width, int height)`
 - `void setSize(Dimension newsize)`
 - `Dimension getSize()`
- Showing and Hiding Frame
 - `void setVisible(boolean visibleFlag)`

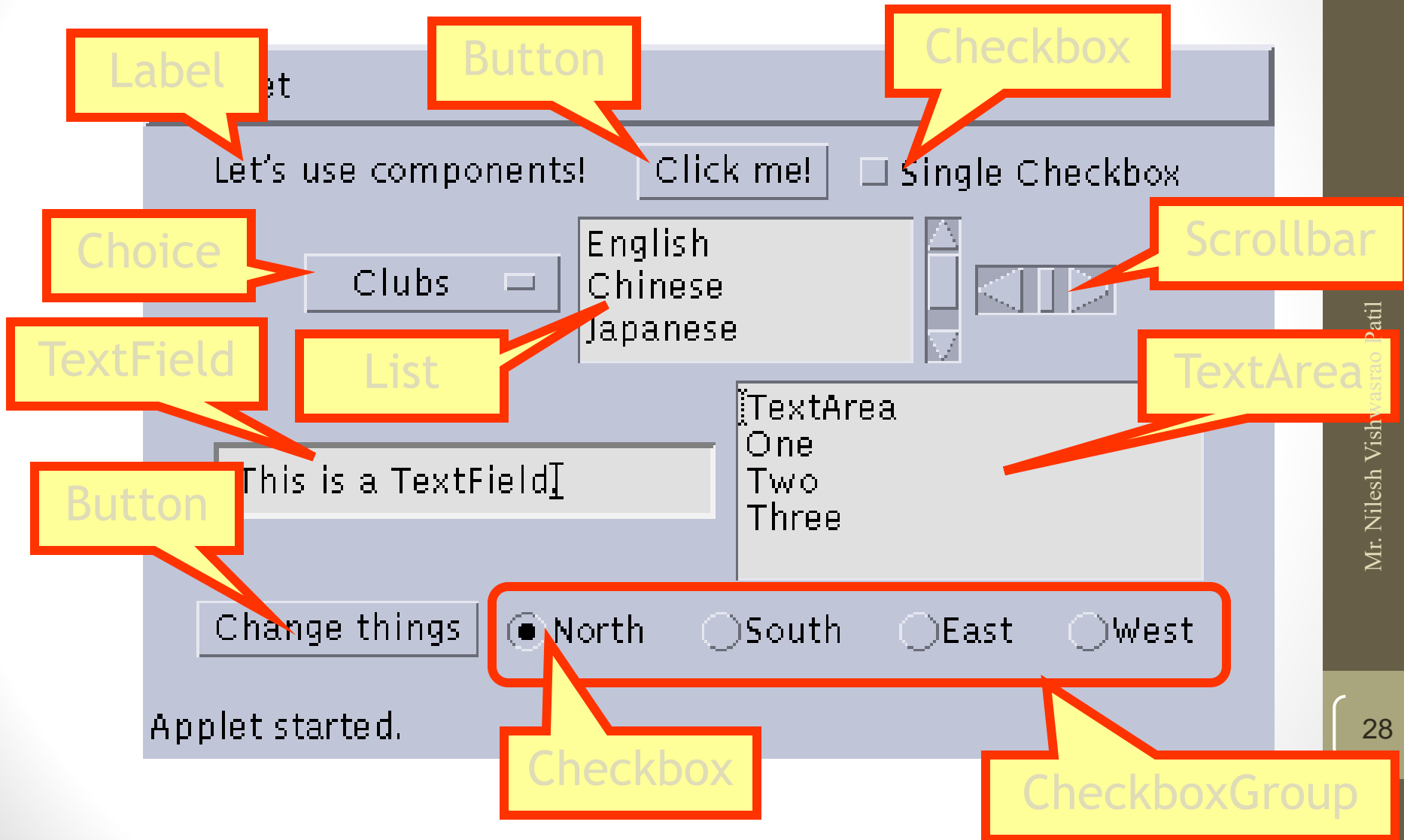
Working with Frame Window

- Setting title to frame
 - `void setTitle(String title)`
- Closing Frame: Four Ways
 - Implements WindowListener interface.
 - Extends WindowAdapter class.
 - WindowAdapter Inner class.
 - WindowAdapter anonymous inner classes.

AWT Controls and Layout Manager

- AWT Controls: Component which allows you to interact with application.
 - Labels
 - Button
 - Checkbox
 - Checkbox group
 - Scrollbars
 - Text field
 - Text Area

Some types of components



AWT Controls and Layout Manager

- Layout Manager: Positioning the components in the container.
 - Flow Layout
 - Border Layout
 - Grid Layout
 - Card Layout
 - Grid Bag Layout
- Menubars, menus, dialog boxes, file dialog.

AWT Controls:

- Allows user to interact with application.
- Adding the control in Window
 - First create instance of control.
 - Call add() method defined by container
 - Component add(Component compObj)
- Removing the Control
 - Call remove() method defined by container
 - void remove(Component obj)
 - For remove all: removeAll() method call.

AWT Control: Label

- Used to just display string on window.
- Passive Components
- Constructors:
 - Label()
 - Label(String *str*) //left - justified
 - Label(String *str*, int *how*) // Label.LEFT, Label.RIGHT, Label.CENTER
- Methods to perform operation: Setter and Getter Method.
 - About text:
 - void setText(String *str*)
 - String getText()
 - About Alignment
 - void setAlignment(int *how*)
 - int getAlignment()

AWT Control: Button

- It contains a label and that generates an event when it is pressed.
- Active Components
- Constructors:
 - Button()
 - Button(String *str*)
- Methods to perform operation: Setter and Getter Method.
 - void setLabel(String *str*)
 - String getLabel()

AWT Control: Button Handling

- When Button pressed which generates an event when it is pressed.
- Implements ActionListener interface.
- Interface has defined actionPerformed() method, called when event is generated.
- ActionEvent object is supplied as argument to the method.
- ActionEvent object refers both Button and Label of Button
- Label will get by using **getActionCommand()** from ActionEvent which passed.

AWT Control: CheckBox

- Used to turn an option on or off.
- Small box: check mark or not.
- Each check box has label.
- Constructors are:
 - `Checkbox()`
 - `Checkbox(String str)`
 - `Checkbox(String str, boolean on)`
 - `Checkbox(String str, boolean on, CheckboxGroup cbGroup)`
 - `Checkbox(String str, CheckboxGroup cbGroup, boolean on)`

AWT Control: CheckBox

- Setter and Getter methods:
 - `boolean getState()`
 - `void setState(boolean on)`
 - `String getLabel()`
 - `void setLabel(String str)`
- The value of `on` determine initial state (true/false).

AWT Control: CheckBox Handling

- Check box is selected or deselected, an item event is generated.
- For handling implements ItemListener interface
- ItemListener interface is defines **itemStateChanged()** method.
- **ItemEvent** object is supplied as the argument.
- `getState()` : Get Status about checkbox.
- Following methods determine and set status:
 - `Checkbox getSelectedCheckbox()`
 - `void setSelectedCheckbox(Checkbox which)`

AWT Control: Choice Class

- Used to create a pop-up list items.
- Default constructor Choice() create empty list.
- For add item in list and select active item:
 - void add(String name)
 - void select(int *index*)
 - void select(String *name*)
- Each item in the list is a string that appears as a left-justified label in the order it is added to the **Choice** object.
- To determine selected item:
 - String getSelectedItem()
 - int getSelectedIndex()
 - String getItem(int *index*)

AWT Control: Handling Choice

- When Choice selected, an item event is generated.
- Implements the **ItemListener** interface.
- Interface defines the **itemStateChanged()** method.
- **ItemEvent** object is supplied as the argument to this method.

AWT Control: List

- **List** class provides a compact, multiple-choice, scrolling selection list.
- **List** object can be constructed to show any number of choices in the visible window.
- In Choice only one item is shown.
- Constructors
 - List()
 - List(int *numRows*)
 - List(int *numRows*, boolean *multipleSelect*)

AWT Control: List

- Following methods are used to add items:
 - void add(String *name*)
 - void add(String *name*, int *index*)
- For single selection items:
 - String getSelectedItem()
 - int getSelectedIndex()
- For Multi selection items:
 - String[] getSelectedItems()
 - int[] getSelectedIndexes()

AWT Control: List

- To retrieve item:
 - String getItem(int *index*)
- To get Item Count
 - int getItemCount()
- Active Item
 - void select(int *index*)

AWT Control: List Handling

- Two types of event generated:
 - For double clicked: `ActionEvent` generated.
 - For select and deselect item: `ItemEvent` generated.
- Implements `ActionListener` interface and `ItemListener`.

AWT Control: Scrollbar

- Scrollbar control represents a scroll bar component in order to enable user to select from range of values.
- Used to select continuous values between a specified minimum and maximum.
- Scroll bars may be oriented horizontally or vertically.
- Each end has an arrow that you can click to move the current value of the scroll bar one unit in the direction of the arrow.
- The current value of the scroll bar relative to its minimum and maximum values is indicated by the *slider box* for the scroll bar.
- The slider box can be dragged by the user to a new position.

AWT Control: Scrollbar

- Constructors:
 - Scrollbar() : construct new vertical scrollbar
 - Scrollbar(int *style*) : : construct new scrollbar with style orientation
 - Scrollbar(int *style*, int *initialValue*, int *thumbSize*, int *min*, int *max*)
- *style* : **Scrollbar.VERTICAL** or **Scrollbar.HORIZONTAL**
- For set Values:
 - void setValues(int *initialValue*, int *thumbSize*, int *min*, int *max*)
- For get and set current value:
 - int getValue()
 - void setValue(int *newValue*)

AWT Control: Scrollbar

- For get Min and Max value:
 - `int getMinimum()`
 - `int getMaximum()`
- By default unit increment/decrement is 1 and Block page-up and page-down increment/decrement is 10.
- For change increment and decrement:
 - `void setUnitIncrement(int newIncr)`
 - `void setBlockIncrement(int newIncr)`



AWT Control: Handling Scrollbar

- **AdjustmentEvent** is generated.
- Implement the **AdjustmentListener** interface.
- `adjustmentValueChanged()` method we have to override
- **getAdjustmentType()** method can be used to determine the type of the adjustment.
- **BLOCK_DECREMENT**: A page-down event has been generated.
- **BLOCK_INCREMENT**: A page-up event has been generated.
- **TRACK**: An absolute tracking event has been generated.
- **UNIT_DECREMENT**: user clicks in the right arrow of a horizontal scroll bar, or the bottom arrow of a vertical scroll bar
- **UNIT_INCREMENT**: User clicks in the left arrow of a horizontal scroll bar, or the top arrow of a vertical scroll bar.

AWT Control: TextField

- TextField is subclass of TextComponent. TextComponent is subclass of Component.
- **TextField** class implements a single-line text-entry area, usually called an *edit control*.
- Text fields allow the user to enter strings and to edit the text using the arrow keys, cut and paste keys, and mouse selections.
- Constructors:
 - TextField()
 - TextField(int *numChars*)
 - TextField(String *str*)
 - TextField(String *str*, int *numChars*)

AWT Control: TextField

- Setter and Getter Method of TextField and TextComponent:
 - String getText()
 - void setText(String *str*)
- Particular Text selection:
 - String getSelectedText()
 - void select(int *startIndex*, int *endIndex*)
- About Modification of Text:
 - boolean isEditable()
 - void setEditable(boolean *canEdit*)

AWT Control: TextField

- Setting echo character to text field and related methods:
 - void setEchoChar(char *ch*)
 - boolean echoCharIsSet()
 - char getEchoChar()
- Button can be used to Handling Event:(ActionEvent) generates.
- Implements ActionListener Class

AWT Control: TextArea

- Need ? Sometimes a single line of text input is not enough for a given task.
- Subclass of `TextComponent`.
- Constructors:
 - `TextArea()`
 - `TextArea(int numLines, int numChars)`
 - `TextArea(String str)`
 - `TextArea(String str, int numLines, int numChars)`
 - `TextArea(String str, int numLines, int numChars, int sBars)`

AWT Control: TextArea

- The values of sbar:
 - SCROLLBARS_BOTH
 - SCROLLBARS_NONE
 - SCROLLBARS_HORIZONTAL_ONLY
 - SCROLLBARS_VERTICAL_ONLY
- It supports: **getText()**, **setText()**, **getSelectedText()**, **select()**, **isEditable()**, and **setEditable()**
- Other some methods:
 - void append(String *str*)
 - void insert(String *str*, int *index*)
 - void replaceRange(String *str*, int *startIndex*, int *endIndex*)

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Arranging components : LM

- Layout means the arrangement of components within the container.
- Layout manager automatically positions all the components within the container.
- LayoutManager:
 - Defines the interface for classes that know how to lay out Containers.
- LayoutManager2:
 - It is the sub-interface of the LayoutManager. This interface is for those classes that know how to layout containers based on layout constraint object.

Arranging components : LM

- Every **Container** has a layout manager
- The default layout for a **Panel** and **Applet** is **FlowLayout**
- The default layout for a **Window** and **Frame** is a **BorderLayout**
- We could set it explicitly with: `setLayout()`
`setLayout (new FlowLayout());`
- You could change it to some other layout manager

Different Layout Manager

- **FlowLayout**

- The FlowLayout is the default layout. It layouts the components in a directional/horizontally flow.

- **BorderLayout**

- The BorderLayout arranges the components to fit in the five regions: east, west, north, south and center.

- **GridLayout**

- The GridLayout manages the components in form of a rectangular grid.

- **CardLayout**

- The CardLayout object treats each component in the container as a card. Only one card is visible at a time.

- **GridBagLayout**

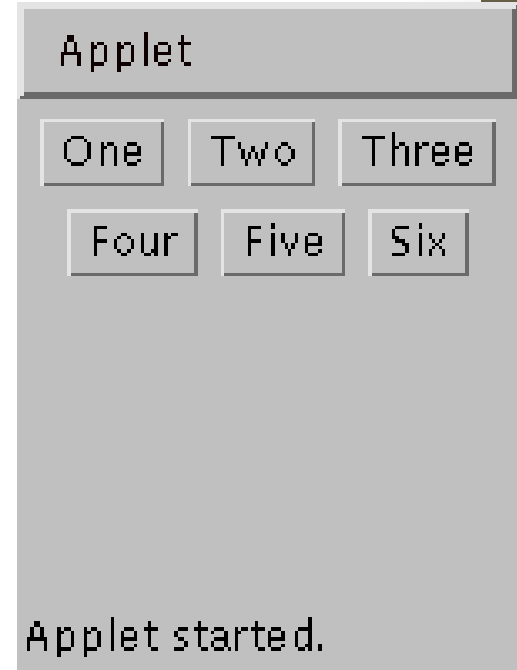
- This is the most flexible layout manager class. The object of GridBagLayout aligns the component vertically, horizontally or along their baseline without requiring the components of same size.

FlowLayout

- Use `add(component);` to add to a component when using a `FlowLayout`
- Components are added left-to-right
- If no room, a new row is started
- Exact layout depends on size of Applet
- Components are made as small as possible
- `FlowLayout` is convenient but often not good.

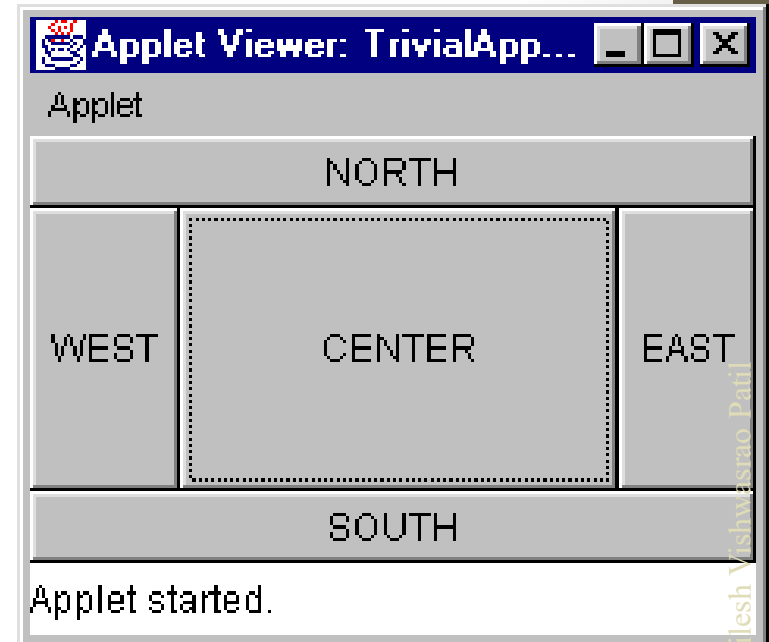
Complete example: FlowLayout

```
import java.awt.*;  
import java.applet.*;  
  
public class FlowLayoutExample extends Applet {  
    public void init () {  
        setLayout (new FlowLayout ()); // default  
        add (new Button ("One"));  
        add (new Button ("Two"));  
        add (new Button ("Three"));  
        add (new Button ("Four"));  
        add (new Button ("Five"));  
        add (new Button ("Six"));  
    }  
}
```



BorderLayout

- At most five components can be added
- If you want more components, add a Panel, then add components to it.
- `setLayout (new BorderLayout());`



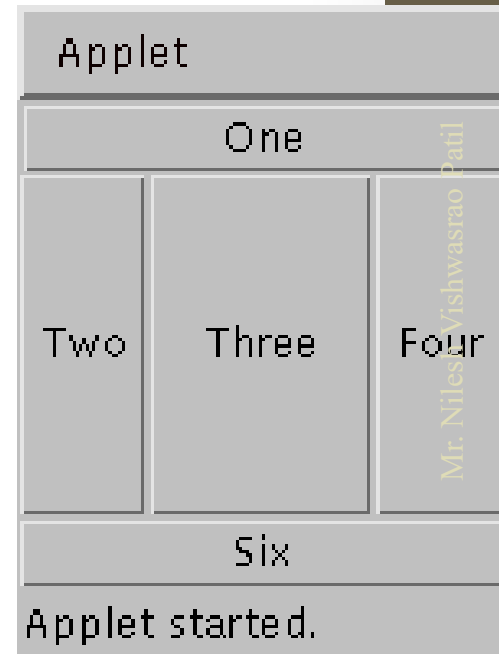
```
add (new Button("NORTH"), BorderLayout.NORTH);
```

BorderLayout with five Buttons

```
public void init() {  
    setLayout (new BorderLayout ());  
    add (new Button ("NORTH"), BorderLayout.NORTH);  
    add (new Button ("SOUTH"), BorderLayout.SOUTH);  
    add (new Button ("EAST"), BorderLayout.EAST);  
    add (new Button ("WEST"), BorderLayout.WEST);  
    add (new Button ("CENTER"), BorderLayout.CENTER);  
}
```

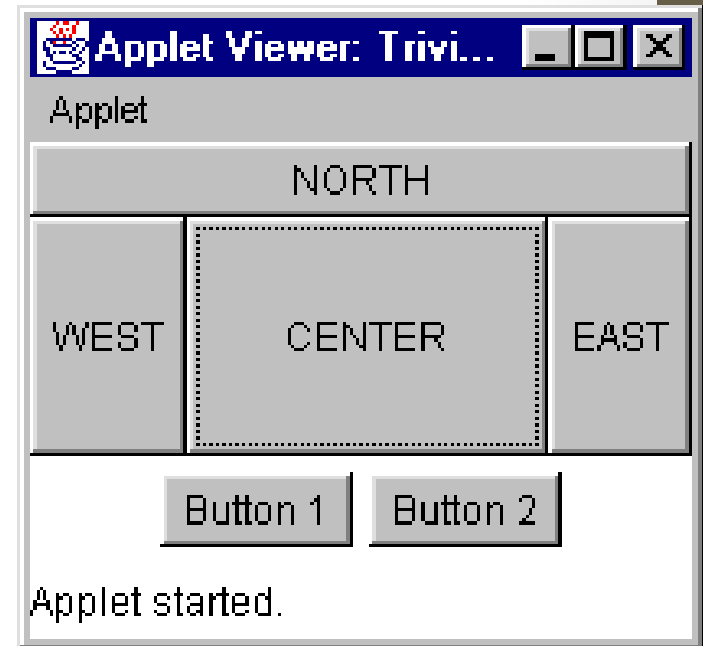
Complete example: BorderLayout

```
import java.awt.*;  
import java.applet.*;  
  
public class BorderLayoutExample extends Applet {  
    public void init () {  
        setLayout (new BorderLayout());  
        add(new Button("One"), BorderLayout.NORTH);  
        add(new Button("Two"), BorderLayout.WEST);  
        add(new Button("Three"), BorderLayout.CENTER);  
        add(new Button("Four"), BorderLayout.EAST);  
        add(new Button("Five"), BorderLayout.SOUTH);  
        add(new Button("Six"), BorderLayout.SOUTH);  
    }  
}
```



Using a Panel

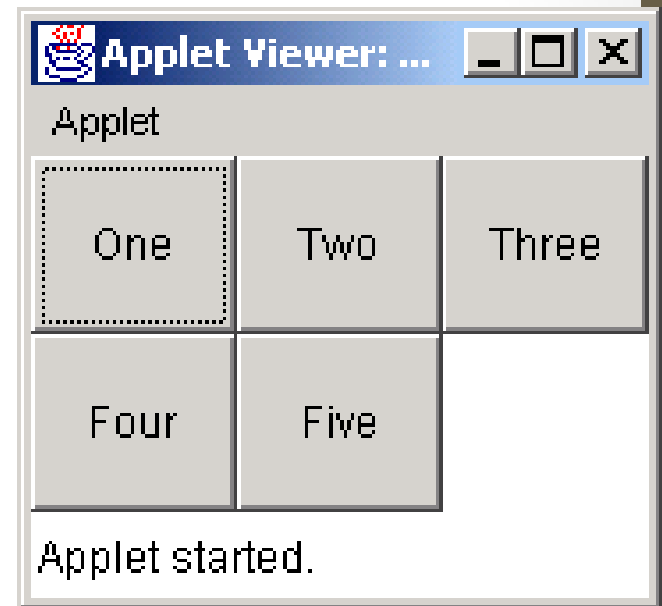
```
Panel p = new Panel();  
add (p, BorderLayout.SOUTH);  
p.add (new Button ("Button 1"));  
p.add (new Button ("Button 2"));
```



GridLayout

- The `GridLayout` manager divides the container up into a given number of rows and columns:

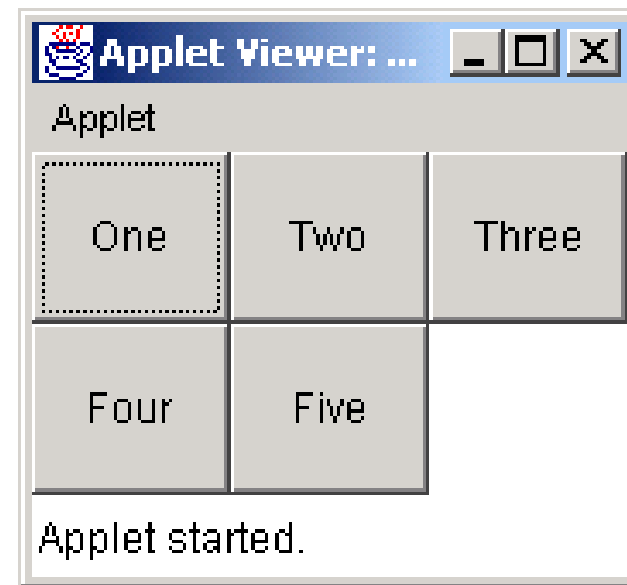
`new GridLayout(rows, columns)`



- All sections of the grid are equally sized and as large as possible

Complete example: GridLayout

```
import java.awt.*;  
import java.applet.*;  
  
public class GridLayoutExample extends Applet {  
    public void init () {  
        setLayout(new GridLayout(2, 3));  
        add(new Button("One"));  
        add(new Button("Two"));  
        add(new Button("Three"));  
        add(new Button("Four"));  
        add(new Button("Five"));  
    }  
}
```



CardLayout

- The class **CardLayout** arranges each component in the container as a card. Only one card is visible at a time, and the container acts as a stack of cards.
- Constructors:
 - **CardLayout()**
Creates a new card layout with gaps of size zero.
 - **CardLayout(int hgap, int vgap)**
Creates a new card layout with the specified horizontal and vertical gaps.

CardLayout

- Cards are typically held in an object of type **Panel**.
- Panel must have **CardLayout** selected as its layout manager.
- For Add component:
 - void add(Component *panelObj*, Object *name*);
- Methods:
 - void first(Container *deck*)
 - void last(Container *deck*)
 - void next(Container *deck*)
 - void previous(Container *deck*)
 - void show(Container *deck*, String *cardName*)

GridBagLayout

- **GridBagLayout** arranges components in a horizontal and vertical manner.
- GridBagLayout is the most complex and flexible of the standard layout managers.
- GridBagLayout, elements can have different sizes and can occupy multiple rows or columns.
- The position and behavior of each element is specified by an instance of the GridBagConstraints class.
- The actual grid size is based upon the number of components within the GridBagLayout and the GridBagConstraints of those objects.

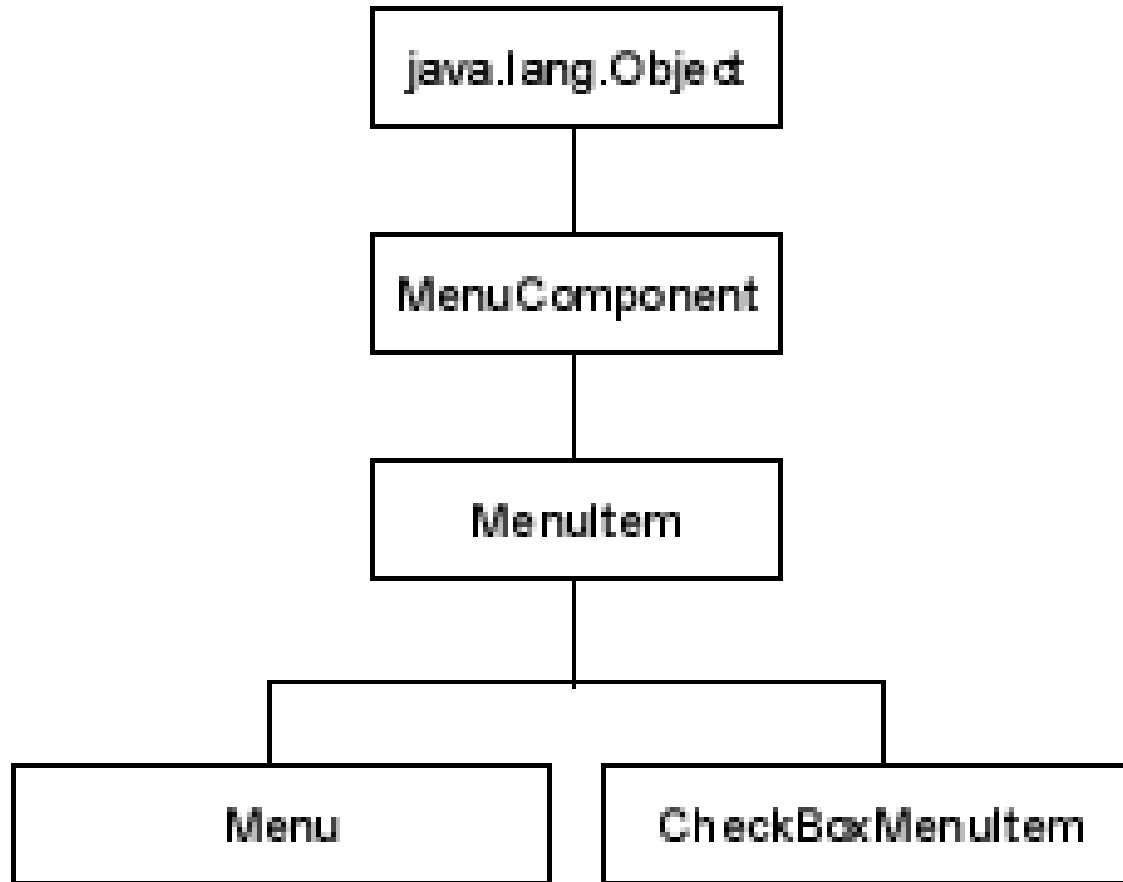
GridBagLayout

- Each GridBagLayout object maintains a dynamic rectangular grid of cells, with each component occupying one or more cells, called its *display area*.
- Each component managed by a grid bag layout is associated with an instance of GridBagConstraints that specifies how the component is laid out within its display area.
- Maximum capacity of a screen using GridBagLayout in
 - Java 1.0 is **128 128 cells**.
 - Java 1.1 is **512 512 cells**.
- *Constructor:*
 - **GridBagLayout()**

GridBagLayout

- For customize a GridBagConstraints object by setting one or more of its instance variables:
 - gridx, gridy:
 - Specifies the cell at the upper left of the component's display area, where the upper-left-most cell has address $\text{gridx} = 0$, $\text{gridy} = 0$.
 - gridwidth, gridheight:
 - Specifies the number of cells in a row (for gridwidth) or column (for gridheight) in the component's display area. The default value is 1.
 - fill:
 - Used when the component's display area is larger than the component's requested size to determine whether (and how) to resize the component.
 - a

MenuBar and Menu



MenuBar and Menu

- Top-level window can have a menu bar associated with it.
- A menu bar displays a list of top-level menu choices.
- Each choice is associated with a drop-down menu.
- Classes:
 - **MenuBar** : Contains one or more Menu objects
 - **Menu** : Contains one or more MenuItem objects
 - **MenuItem** : Object something selected by user.
- It is also possible to include checkable menu items
- These are menu options of type **CheckboxMenuItem** and will have a check mark next to them when they are selected.

MenuBar and Menu

- To create a menu bar, first create an instance of **MenuBar**.
- Set MenuBar using `setMenuBar(MenuBarObject)`
- Next, create instances of **Menu** that will define the selections displayed on the bar.
- Constructors:
 - `Menu()`
 - `Menu(String optionName)`
 - `Menu(String optionName, boolean removable)`
- Individual menu items constructors:
 - `MenuItem()`
 - `MenuItem(String itemName)`
 - `MenuItem(String itemName, MenuShortcut keyAccel)`

MenuBar and Menu

- Disable or enable a menu item by using:
 - void `setEnabled(boolean enabledFlag)`
 - boolean `isEnabled()`
- Label set and get using:
 - void `setLabel(String newName)`
 - String `getLabel()`
- Checkable menu item by using a subclass of **MenuItem** called **CheckboxMenuItem**. :
 - `CheckboxMenuItem()`
 - `CheckboxMenuItem(String itemName)`
 - `CheckboxMenuItem(String itemName, boolean on)`

MenuBar and Menu

- Status about checkable MenuItem:
 - boolean getState()
 - void setState(boolean *checked*)
- For add MenuItem:
 - MenuItem add(MenuItem *item*)
- For add MenuBar
 - Menu add(Menu *menu*)
- To get Item from Menu:
 - Object getItem()

Dialog Box

- Dialog boxes are primarily used to obtain user input.
- They are similar to frame windows, except that dialog boxes are always child windows of a top-level window.
- Dialog boxes don't have menu bars.
- In other respects, dialog boxes function like frame windows.
- Dialog boxes may be modal or modeless.
- When a *modal* dialog box is active, all input is directed to it until it is closed.
- When a *modeless* dialog box is active, input focus can be directed to another window in your program.

Dialog Box

- *Constructors:*
 - Dialog(Frame *parentWindow*, boolean *mode*)
 - Dialog(Frame *parentWindow*, String *title*, boolean *mode*)
- To create Dialog Box:
 - Create Frame or Applet
 - Create another class which extends Dialog class.
 - Call this new class from Frame/Applet class.
 - In constructor of Extended Dialog class, use super method and pass values to constructor of Dialog.

FileDialog

- Java provides a built-in dialog box that lets the user specify a file.
- To create a file dialog box, instantiate an object of type **FileDialog**.
- Constructor:
 - `FileDialog(Frame parent, String boxName)`
 - `FileDialog(Frame parent, String boxName, int how)`
 - `FileDialog(Frame parent)`

Int how: **FileDialog.LOAD**, **FileDialog.SAVE**

Methods:

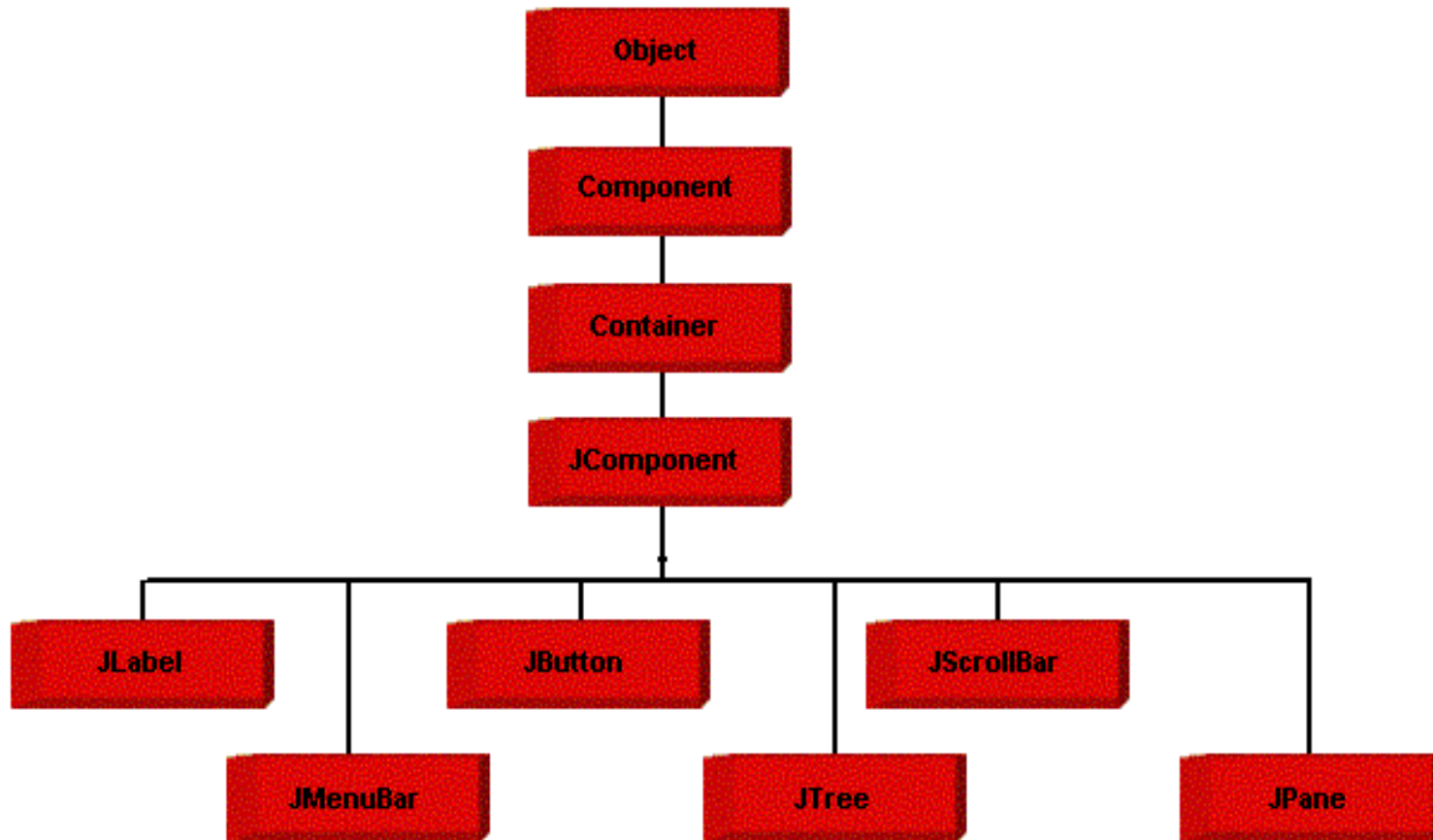
`String getDirectory()`

`String getFile()`

Introduction to Swing

- Package : javax.swing.*
- Swing is set of classes which provides more powerful and flexible components as compare to AWT.
- Build on top of AWT API and a.cts as replacement of AWT API.
- Swing component follows a Model-View-Controller
- Swing Components are implemented using Java and so they are platform independent.
- Called lightweight components

Introduction to Swing



Introduction to Swing

- 100 % Java implementations of components.
- Use MVC architecture.
 - Model represents the data
 - View as a visual representation of the data
 - Controller takes input and translates it to changes in data

Difference Between AWT & Swing

- AWT uses Applet and Frame while Swing uses JApplet and JFrame for GUI.
- AWT is platform dependent code while Swing code is platform independent.
- Swing has bigger collection of classes and interfaces as compare to AWT.
- In Swing extra feature to Button: Provide Image.
- Swing provides: Tree, Table, Scrollpanes, Tabbedpanes etc new feature which not available in AWT.

Important Classes by Swing

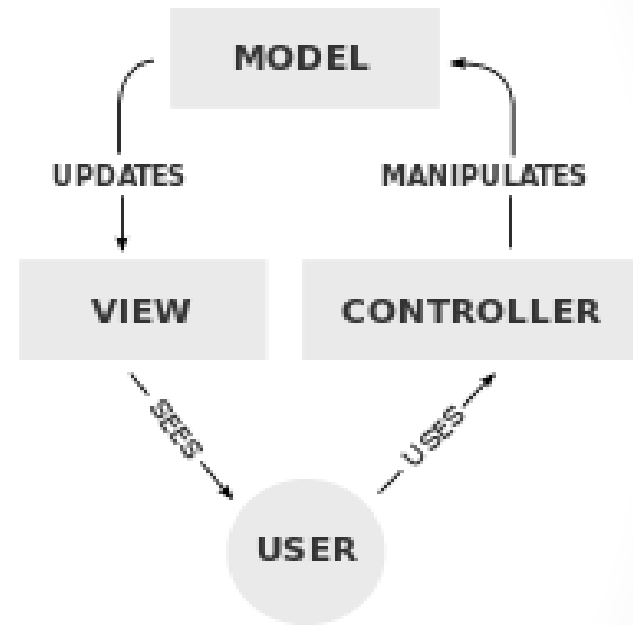
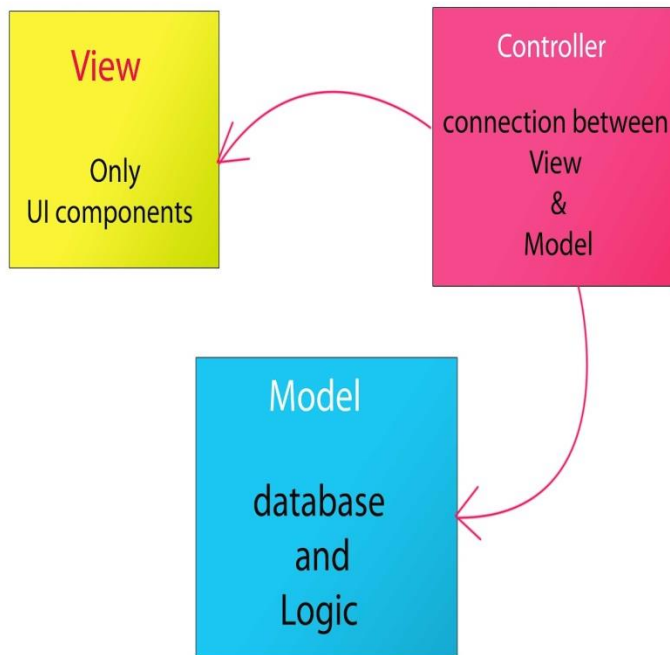
- Abstract Button
- ButtonGroup
- ImageIcon
- JApplet
- JButton
- JCheckBox
- JComboBox
- JLabel
- JRadioButton
- JScrollPane
- JTabbedPane
- JTable
- JTextField
- JTree

MVC Architecture

- Software design pattern for software development.
- Model:
 - Major function of this layer to maintain the data.
 - Database and logic.
- View:
 - Used to display full or partial data.
 - User Interface
- Controller:
 - Control the interaction and communication between Model and view.
 - Communication logic/integration logic

MVC Architecture

MVC Architecture (basic)



JApplet and JFrame

- Extends JApplet/JFrame class.
- Design UI in init() or Constructor method.
- Add all components on Container instead on JApplet/JFrame.
- getContentPane() method returns the container object.
- Call container add() method to add components.
- Guess default layout for JApplet/Jframe?
- For JFrame close operation: setDefaultCloseOperation()
- Parameters:
 - *DISPOSE_ON_CLOSE*
 - *EXIT_ON_CLOSE*
 - *DO NOTHING ON CLOSE*

JLabel and ImageIcon

- Small display area for text, image or both.
- Extends Jcomponent.
- Constructors:
 - JLabel(Icon *i*)
 - Label(String *s*)
 - JLabel(String *s*, Icon *i*, int *align*)
align argument is either **LEFT**, **RIGHT**, **CENTER**,
- ImageIcon:
 - ImageIcon(String *filename*)
 - ImageIcon(URL *url*)

JLabel and ImageIcon

- The **ImageIcon** class implements the **Icon** interface that declares the methods
 - `int getIconHeight()`
 - `int getIconWidth()`
- Other methods:
 - `Icon getIcon()`
 - `String getText()`
 - `void setIcon(Icon i)`
 - `void setText(String s)`

JTextField

java.lang.Object

java.awt.Component

java.awt.Container

javax.swing.JComponent

javax.swing.text.JTextComponent

javax.swing.JTextField

JTextField()

JTextField(int *cols*)

JTextField(String *s*, int *cols*)

JTextField(String *s*)

AbstractButton

- Swing provide Icon with Button text.
- Swing buttons are subclasses of the **AbstractButton** class, which extends **Jcomponent**.
- **AbstractButton** contains many methods that allow you to control the behavior of buttons, check boxes, and radio buttons.
- Setter and Getter:
 - String getText()
 - void setText(String s)

JButton

- Constructors:
 - JButton(Icon *i*)
 - JButton(String *s*)
 - JButton(String *s*, Icon *i*)

JCheckBox

java.lang.Object

java.awt.Component

java.awt.Container

javax.swing.JComponent

javax.swing.AbstractButton

javax.swing.JToggleButton

javax.swing.JCheckBox

JCheckBox(Icon *i*)

JCheckBox(Icon *i*, boolean *state*)

JCheckBox(String *s*)

JCheckBox(String *s*, boolean *state*)

JCheckBox(String *s*, Icon *i*)

JCheckBox(String *s*, Icon *i*, boolean *state*)

JCheckBox

- `void setSelected(boolean state)`
- ItemEvent is generated.
- ItemListener interface is needed to handle ItemEvent.
- Public `itemStateChanged()` used to override.

JRadioButton

java.lang.Object

java.awt.Component

java.awt.Container

javax.swing.JComponent

javax.swing.AbstractButton

javax.swing.JToggleButton

javax.swing.JRadioButton

JRadioButton(Icon *i*)

JRadioButton(Icon *i*, boolean *state*)

JRadioButton(String *s*)

JRadioButton(String *s*, boolean *state*)

JRadioButton(String *s*, Icon *i*)

JRadioButton(String *s*, Icon *i*, boolean *state*)

JRadioButton

- ButtonGroup class is used to add radio button in group.
- (ActionEvent) is generated.
- ActionListener interface is needed to handle(ActionEvent).
- public void actionPerformed() used to override.

JComboBox

- Combination of text field and drop down list.
- Subclass of JComponent
- Only one entry can view at a time.
- Constructor:
 - JComboBox()
 - JComboBox(Vector v)
- void addItem(Object obj): Used to add object in Combobox

JComboBox: EventHandler

- ItemEvent is generated.
- Implements ItemListener interface
- Override: `itemStateChanged(ItemEvent ie)` method defined by ItemListener.

JTabbedPane

- *A tabbed pane* is a component that appears as a group of folders in a file cabinet.
- Each folder has a title.
- When a user selects a folder, its contents become visible.
- Only one of the folders may be selected at a time.
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JTabbedPane

- Tabs are defined via the following method :
 - `void addTab(String str, Component comp)`
 - Str: title of pane
 - Comp: component, it can be JPanel
- Steps to create JTabbedPane:
 1. Create a **JTabbedPane** object.
 2. Call **addTab()** to add a tab to the pane.
 3. Repeat step 2 for each tab.
 4. Add the tabbed pane to the content pane of the JApplet or JFrame

JScrollPane

- A *scroll pane* is a component that presents a rectangular area in which a component may be viewed.
- Horizontal and/or vertical scroll bars may be provided if necessary.
- Subclass of JComponent
- Constructor:
 - JScrollPane(Component *comp*)
 - JScrollPane(int *vsb*, int *hsb*)
 - JScrollPane(Component *comp*, int *vsb*, int *hsb*)
- Comp: Component, vsb and hsb: Scrollbar constant

JScrollPane

- HORIZONTAL_SCROLLBAR_ALWAYS
- HORIZONTAL_SCROLLBAR_AS_NEEDED
- VERTICAL_SCROLLBAR_ALWAYS
- VERTICAL_SCROLLBAR_AS_NEEDED

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JTree

- A *tree* is a component that presents a hierarchical view of data.
- Trees are implemented in Swing by the **JTree** class, which extends **JComponent**.
- Constructors:
 - JTree(Hashtable *ht*)
 - JTree(Object *obj*[])
 - JTree(TreeNode *tn*)
 - JTree(Vector *v*)

JTree

- A **JTree** object generates events when a node is expanded or collapsed.
- The **addTreeExpansionListener()** and **removeTreeExpansionListener()** methods allow listeners to register and unregister for these notifications.
- Signature for these methods:
 - `void addTreeExpansionListener(TreeExpansionListener tel)`
 - `void removeTreeExpansionListener(TreeExpansionListener tel)`

JTree

- `TreePath` `getPathForLocation(int x, int y)`:
- **TreePath** object that encapsulates information about the tree node that was selected by the user.
- The **TreeNode** interface declares methods that obtain information about a tree node.
- The **MutableTreeNode** interface extends **TreeNode**. It declares methods that can insert and remove child nodes or change the parent node.
- The **DefaultMutableTreeNode** class implements the **MutableTreeNode** interface. It represents a node in a tree.
- Constructor: `DefaultMutableTreeNode(Object obj)`

JTree

- To create a hierarchy of tree nodes, the **add()** method of **DefaultMutableTreeNode** can be used.
 - `void add(MutableTreeNode child)`
- Tree Expansion event described by class:
 - **TreeExpansionEvent** (Package: **javax.swing.event**)
- The **getPath()** method of this class returns a **TreePath**.
 - `TreePath getPath()`
- **TreeExpansionListener** interface provides the following two methods
 - `void treeCollapsed(TreeExpansionEvent tee)`
 - `void treeExpanded(TreeExpansionEvent tee)`

JTree

- Steps to create Jtree:

1. Create a **JTree** object.
2. Create a **JScrollPane** object.
3. Add the tree to the scroll pane.
4. Add the scroll pane to the content pane of the applet.

JTable

- A *table* is a component that displays rows and columns of data.
- You can drag the cursor on column boundaries to resize columns.
- You can also drag a column to a new position.
- Subclass of JComponent
- Constructor:
 - `JTable(Object data[][], Object colHeads[])`
 - *data* is a two-dimensional array of the information
 - *colHeads* is a one-dimensional array with the column headings.

JTable

- Steps to create Jtable

1. Create a **JTable** object.
2. Create a **JScrollPane** object.
3. Add the table to the scroll pane.
4. Add the scroll pane to the content pane of the JApplet or JFrame.

Vocabulary

- AWT – The Abstract Window Toolkit provides basic graphics tools (tools for putting information on the screen)
- Swing – A much better set of graphics tools
- **Container** – a graphic element that can hold other graphic elements (and is itself a **Component**)
- **Component** – a graphic element (such as a Button or a TextArea) provided by a graphics toolkit
- listener – A piece of code that is activated when a particular kind of event occurs
- layout manager – An object whose job it is to arrange **Components** in a **Container**

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